



ANNOUNCEMENT FOR PROMOTIONAL TESTING
Health Facilities Evaluator Manager I
Health Facilities Evaluator Manager II

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WHO SHOULD APPLY: This is a promotional examination for the Department of Public Health. Competition is limited to employees who meet the minimum qualifications and have a permanent civil service appointment with the Department of Public Health. State Personnel Board Rules 233, 234, 235, 235.2, and 237 contain provisions regarding civil service status and eligibility for promotional examinations.

HOW TO APPLY: To learn more about the job and testing arrangements, contact the testing office shown below. Applications are available at <http://www.spb.ca.gov/jobs/stateapp.htm>. Question regarding this examination should be directed to the Exam Analyst, Liz Stephens at Liz.stephens@cdph.ca.gov or call, 916 552-9212. Applications may be filed in person or by mail with:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH (916) 445-0983
Selection and Certification Unit
In Person: 1501 Capitol Avenue, Suite 1501
By Mail: MS 1701
P.O. BOX 997378
Sacramento, CA 95899-7378

DO NOT SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD

CROSS FILING INFORMATION: If you meet the entrance requirements for both Health Facilities Manager I and for Health Facilities Evaluator Manager II, you may file for both examinations on a single application. You must indicate the class title(s) corresponding to each examination for which you are applying on the application Form STD. 678.

FINAL FILING DATE: Applications (Form STD. 678) and the **responses to the supplemental items** must be submitted at the same time. There is no final filing date. Testing is considered continuous as dates can be set at any time.

SALARY RANGES: \$5,079 - \$6727 per month.

POSITION DESCRIPTION: Health Facilities Evaluator Manager I, function as supervisors in the Department of Public Health Licensing and Certification Program performing in one of the following capacities: (1) first-level supervisor in headquarters over at least four professional staff performing specialized support staff duties; or (2) second-level supervisor of a field office supervising a staff including at least two Health Facilities Evaluators II (Supervisor); and provide direct supervision of the medical consultants and support staff for a district office.

Positions exist with the Department of Public Health statewide.

Health Facilities Evaluator Manager II, plan, organize, and direct either (1) the operation of a large district office defined as those offices with a minimum of 40 professional and clerical staff; (2) a statewide program of licensing, inspection, investigation, and/or certification of health facilities under public medical care legislation; (3) direct the administrative appeal hearing activities statewide; supervise appeal hearing staff, Health Facilities Evaluator Specialists; hear the most complex health facilities appeals; and serve as senior program consultant to the Department's legal staff and the Attorney General's Office on the most controversial and sensitive enforcement issues involving licensing actions pursued through arbitration or court litigation; or (4) organize, plan, coordinate, and direct the activities of Health Facilities Evaluator Managers I engaged in providing policy direction, procedural development, and related support.

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REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMITTANCE TO THE EXAMINATION: It is your responsibility to make sure you meet the education and/or experience requirements stated on this announcement on the date you submit your application. Your signature on your application indicates that you have read, understood, and possess the basic qualifications required.

NOTE: Applications **must** include “to” and “from” dates (month/day/year), time base, civil service class title(s), and range (if applicable) for all work experience. College course information **must** include title, number of semester or quarter units, names of institutions, completion dates, and degree (if applicable). **Applications received without this information will be rejected.**

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Qualifying experience may be combined on a proportionate basis if the following requirements include more than one pattern and are distinguished as either I, or II, or III, etc.

ALL LEVELS:

Possession of a master's degree in a recognized health field, i.e., microbiology, laboratory technology, nursing, physical therapy, psychology, medical social work, or other health related field from a recognized school may be substituted for one year of the required general experience.

Health Facilities Evaluator Manager I:

Either I

One year of experience performing the duties of a Health Facilities Evaluator II or Health Facilities Evaluator II (Supervisor) in the California state service.

Or II

Education: Equivalent to graduation from a four-year college or university with a degree in a recognized health field, i.e., microbiology, laboratory technology, nursing, physical therapy, psychology, medical social work, or other health related field. (Additional qualifying experience may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis.) and

Experience: Four years of increasingly responsible professional experience requiring definition and implementation of operational program policy including or supplemented by at least one year of professional administrative or clinical experience as a supervisor or consultant in a health facility planning, licensing, certification, or general health administration program. [Experience in California state service applied toward this requirement must include one year at a level of responsibility equivalent to the Health Facilities Evaluator II or Health Facilities Evaluator II (Supervisor) levels.]

Health Facilities Evaluator Manager II:

Either I

One year of experience performing the duties of a Health Facilities Evaluator Manager I or Health Facilities Evaluator Specialist in the California state service.

Or II

Two years of experience performing the duties of a Health Facilities Evaluator II or Health Facilities Evaluator II (Supervisor) in the California state service.

Or III

Education: Equivalent to graduation from a four-year college or university in a recognized health field, i.e., microbiology, laboratory technology, nursing, physical therapy, psychology, medical social work, or other health related field. (Additional qualifying experience may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis.) and

Experience: Four years of increasingly responsible professional administrative or clinical experience requiring definition and implementation of operational program policy including or supplemented by two years of professional administrative or clinical experience as a supervisor or consultant in a health facility planning, licensing, certification, or general health administration program. (Experience in California state service applied toward this requirement must include one year at a level of responsibility equivalent to the Health Facilities Manager I or Health Facilities Evaluator Specialist levels.)

Knowledge and Abilities:

Health Facilities Manager I: Knowledge of all of the principles and purposes of regulations governing health facilities and services; State and Federal laws, regulations, and rules administered by the Department governing the planning, construction, licensing, inspection, regulation. And supervision of such public and private health facilities as hospitals, nursing homes, intermediate care facilities, clinics, adult day-care centers, and home health agencies; health facility organization, operation, and procedures; applicable departmental policies and procedures; functions and techniques of health facility management, services, organizations, and standards for patient care; investigative methods and techniques and rules of evidence; types and usage of modern health facility buildings, furnishings, and equipment; medical terminology; operations and services affecting patient care; effective group and individual training techniques and methods; principles, practices, and techniques used in the administration of the licensing and certification program; principles and practices of effective supervision and personnel relations; group and individual training methods; and principles of effective supervision and the Department's Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Program objectives; a supervisor's role in the EEO Program and the processes available to meet affirmative action objectives; the rules-of-conduct governing quasi-judicial hearings and conduct of proceedings before administrative bodies; enforcement action procedures against licensed health facilities; and principles of effective supervision and techniques to implement EEO objectives.

Ability to: Collect and analyze data; participate effectively in conferences in training sessions; communicate effectively; establish and maintain effective working relationships; interpret and apply pertinent State and Federal laws, regulations, and rules; establish and maintain cooperative relationships with personnel in the health facility industry, within the Department, and with other community social and health agencies; analyze problems arising out of field operations; perform quality control review of field staff work, design, develop, conduct, and provide a full range of in-service and out-service training for evaluators to include group and individual training techniques and methods; secure accurate data and record and report data systematically; develop and evaluate alternatives; reach logical conclusions and implement effective changes as corrective actions to identified problems; produce clear, accurate, and concise reports; analyze situations accurately and take effective action; utilize and apply effectively required technical knowledge; and plan, organize, direct, and control the work of others; establish and maintain effective working relations; communicate effectively; produce clear, accurate, and concise reports; utilize and apply effectively required technical knowledge; effectively train personnel; provide consultation to staff; and effectively contribute to the Department's EEO objectives; conduct the course of hearings in an effective and orderly manner; determine case factors; extract from testimony and case records pertinent facts and data; analyze evidence and draw logical conclusions; present statement of facts, laws, arguments, and findings clearly and logically in oral and written form; render decisions, citing contributing factors for the decision; write clear, accurate, concise, and logical decisions; function independently with general or limited guidelines; exercise a high degree of judgment in applying pertinent laws, rules, and regulations; provides assistance to legal staff for civil case litigations; plan, organize, and direct the operation of an office health facilities program involving the licensing, inspection, investigation, and certification of health facilities under public medical legislation; effectively contribute to the Department's EEO objectives.

Health Facilities Manager II: Knowledge of all of the above, and budgeting practices as applied to management of a major health facilities program of the Department; Department's EEO Program objectives; a manager's role in the EEO Program and the processes available to meet EEO objectives.

Ability to: All of the above, and plan, organize, and direct the operation of a health facilities program involving the licensing, inspection, investigation, and certification of health facilities under public medical care legislation, or related administrative appeal; effectively preside over quasi-judicial appeal hearings and render appropriate decisions based on case factors and findings; and consult with legal staff for civil case litigations; effectively contribute to the Department's affirmative action objectives.

SPECIAL PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Both Levels: Willingness to travel throughout the State.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS: In addition to the scope defined on this announcement, candidates must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgment, ability to work cooperatively with others, and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the assigned duties of the class. A medical examination may be required.

EXAMINATION INFORMATION: The examination will consist of a Supplemental Application that is weighted 100%. Applicants are required to respond to the following five supplemental items. These supplemental items are designed to identify job achievement in specific areas that demonstrates the ability to successfully perform at the Health Facilities Evaluator Manager I and/or II level. Responses to the supplemental items will be assessed based on predetermined job-related rating criteria. In appraising the relative qualifications of candidates, consideration will be given to the extent and type of pertinent experience and education over and above that required under the minimum qualifications.

The Department of Public Health reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the service if the circumstances under which this examination was planned change. Such revision will be in accordance with civil service law and rules and all competitors will be notified.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION ITEMS: Each applicant for this examination **must** complete and submit his/her responses to **all five supplemental items** that follow. Applications received without responses to the supplemental items will be rejected.

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Applicants must submit:

- A completed Standard State Application (STD. 678)
- A response to each of the five supplemental items (two copies)
- Resumes do not take the place of the Supplemental Items

NOTE: Resumes, letters, and other materials will not be evaluated or considered as responses to the supplemental items.

SUPPLEMENTAL ITEMS

1. Describe your leadership, supervisory and/or team leading experience, including techniques of organizing and motivating groups and/or employees, and your experience interacting effectively with a variety of individuals, organizations, state agencies and local governments.
2. Describe and quantify the number of years of experience you have in planning, organizing and prioritizing the work of multidisciplinary professional and administrative staff and allocating resources to ensure workload and assignment requirements are met and completed on time.
3. Describe your experience interpreting and applying state and federal laws, regulations, and policies and procedures administered by the California Department of Public Health as they relate to the licensing and certification of health facilities and/or individuals certified and licensed by the Licensing and Certification program.
4. Describe a specific experience that demonstrates your ability to analyze complex problems and recommend effective courses of action. Describe the steps you took to implement your recommended course of action. Please provide specific details.
5. Describe two different experiences that demonstrate your ability to use appropriate communication skills to diffuse a difficult situation. Experiences/examples should describe interaction with: staff or providers/professionals or the general public or state or federal representatives. Include in your response the nature of the conflict and outcome.

ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION: Possession of the entrance requirements does not assure a place on the eligible list. In order to obtain a position on the eligible list, a minimum rating of 70% must be attained. A departmental promotional list will be established for use by the department(s) listed on this announcement. List eligibility will expire 24 months after it is established unless the needs of the service and conditions of the list warrant a change in this period.

Eligible lists established by competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: 1) sub-divisional promotional, 2) departmental promotional, 3) multi-departmental promotional, 4) service-wide promotional, 5) departmental open, and 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first.

VETERANS PREFERENCE: Veterans preference credits are not granted in promotional examinations.

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MCI from TDD: 1-800-735-2929 MCI from voice telephone: 1-800-735-2922

Sprint from TDD: 1-888-877-5378 Sprint from voice telephone: 1-888-877-5379